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## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 108384-00048

DATE: March 27, 2002

U.S. APPLN. NO. (IF KNOWN, SEE 37 C.F.R. 1.5)

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP01/06683			INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE August 3, 2001	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED August 7, 2000 and September 1, 2000						
TITLE OF INVENTION: PRECIOUS METAL-BASED AMORPHOUS ALLOY										
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Susumu SHIMIZU, Kenya MORI and Shigeo SHIODA										
1.	⊠	This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. (THE BASIC FILING FEE IS ATTACHED)								
2.		This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
3.	Ø	This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)] at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).								
4.		A proper demand for International Preliminary Amendment was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.								
5.	⊠	A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)] a. ☑ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).								
6.	$\boxtimes$	A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].								
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)] a.								
8.		A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].								
9.	$\boxtimes$	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].								
10.		A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].								
Item	ns 11	- 16 below concern other document(s) or information in	ncluded:							
11.	$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R.	1.97 and 1.98.							
12.	$\boxtimes$	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13.		A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment	nt.							
14.		A substitute specification.								
15.		A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.								
16.	$\boxtimes$	Other items or information: figure 1, 1 sheet; PCT Request; PCT/RO/105; PCT/IB/301; PCT/IB/304; PCT/ISA/210								

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17. A The following fees  Basic National Fee [37] Search Report has bee International preliminan (37 C.F.R. 1.482) No international prelimi (37 C.F.R. 1.482) but in [37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)]. Neither international pre (37 C.F.R. 1.482) or international preliminan (37 C.F.R. 1.482) and a PCT Article 33(2)-(4)  ENTER APP  Surcharge of \$130.00 for fur	r C.F.R. 1.492(a)(1) In prepared by the E y examination fee particular of the sternational search fee paid to USPTO y examination fee paid to USPTO y examination fee paid claims satisfied particular search fee paid to USPTO	\$ 890.00	PTO USE ONLY		
than 20 30 months fro [37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)].		Ψ			
Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate		
Total Claims	4 - 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00	\$	
Independent Claims	2 - 3 =	0	X \$ 84.00	\$	
Multiple dependent claim(s)	(if applicable)	\$			
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Processing fee of \$130.00 for later the ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months [37 C.F.R. 1.492(f)].		\$			
	TOTAL NATION	\$ 890.00			
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	TOTAL FEES EN	\$ 930.00			
		Amount to be refunded	\$		
		Charged	\$		

a. A check in the amount of \$930.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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